

FORT WAYNE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
1200 SOUTH CLINTON STREET
FORT WAYNE, IN 46802

6:06 p.m.

April 23, 2007

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS

Roll Call The Board of School Trustees of the Fort Wayne Community Schools met in regular session in the Lester L. Grile Administrative Center on Monday, April 23, 2007, at 6:06 p.m. President Stephen Corona called the meeting to order with the Pledge of Allegiance and the following members in attendance:

Members present: Stephen Corona, Chairperson
 Kevin Brown
 Carol J. Coen
 Mark GiaQuinta
 Pamela Martin-Diaz
 Jon J. Olinger
 Mitch Sheppard

Members absent: none

Approval of Minutes – March 26, 2007 A motion was made by Mark GiaQuinta, seconded by Jon J. Olinber, that the minutes of the regular meeting of the Board of School Trustees held March 26, 2007, be approved. Roll Call: Ayes, unanimous; nays, none.

Dr. Wendy Robinson, superintendent, presented the following information and recommendations concerning awards and recognitions:

United Cerebral Palsy of Greater Indiana Essay Contest Winners **RECOMMENDATION:** It is recommended that the Board recognize two students who have received state recognitions for their essays celebrating Disability Awareness Month in March.

RELATED INFORMATION: For the first time in the 12-year history of the Indiana Governor's Council on Disabilities and the United Cerebral Palsy of Greater Indiana's Disability Awareness Month Essay Contest, two brothers have earned finalist status – and they are from Fort Wayne Community Schools. Northcrest Elementary School student Charlie Woodman earned a second place in the third/fourth grade category and his brother, Josiah, a student at Northwood Middle School, was a finalist in the seventh/eighth grade category.

The essay contest is designed to give students the opportunity to express their thoughts about how attitudes and actions affect people with disabilities. That is something the Woodman family members know of first-hand. Their father, Pat, has a heart condition; their mother, Sherry has Cerebral Palsy and Josiah is autistic.

The family was honored at a luncheon and awards ceremony held last month in Indianapolis. The following individuals were recognized:

Charlie Woodman, 2nd place, Grades 3-4
Josiah Woodman, finalist, Grades 7-8
Steven Jones, Northcrest principal
Matthew Schiebel, Northwood principal

Indiana
State PTA
Awards

RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended that the Board recognize recipients of Indiana State PTA awards presented yesterday in Indianapolis.

RELATED INFORMATION: Fort Wayne Community Schools staff and parents swept the Indiana State PTA awards presented during a celebration at their 95th annual convention held April 22, 2007. Louise Swihart from Lakeside Middle School was recognized as Outstanding Teacher, while Charles DeFord of North Side High School was named Outstanding Principal.

In addition, Indiana PTA honored Northrop High School PTA as the outstanding PTA unit and Fort Wayne Area PTA Council as outstanding council. Tina Hartman serves as the local unit's president; Rose Hillery is the Fort Wayne Council president.

More than 300 delegates and guests attended the three-day PTA Convention.

The following individuals were recognized:

Indiana State PTA Outstanding Teacher
Louise Swihart, Lakeside teacher
Carlton Mable, principal

Indiana State PTA Outstanding Unit
Northrop High School PTA
Tina Hartman, president
Barbara Ahlersmeyer, principal

Indiana State PTA Outstanding Principal
Charles DeFord, North Side High School principal
Rita Turflinger, Area Administrator

Indiana State PTA Outstanding Council
Fort Wayne Council
Rose Hillery, president

Winter
Color
Guard State
Finals

RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended that the Board recognize the Winter Guard from Wayne High School for receiving awards in state competition.

RELATED INFORMATION: The Winter Guard at Wayne High School competed in the Indiana High School Color Guard Associations Finals held last month at Center Grove High School. Wayne received Gold Medal honors in Class AA competition. The following individuals were recognized:

Alyssa Allen
Krista Allen
Sonja Brown
Rachel Bullock
Ashley Creager
Brittany Evans
Amanda Jewell
Jennifer Kuhn
Kristi Neal
Misty Neal

Catherine Roach
Katherine Roberson
Lindsay Reid
Trisha Shultz
Jessica Web
Jennifer Dunlap, instructor
Brittany Satterthwaite, instructor
Michael Satterthwaite, band director
Joselyn Whittaker, principal

Lilly
Teacher
Creativity
Fellowships

RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended that the Board recognize four FWCS teachers who have received 2007 Teacher Creativity Fellowship awards.

RELATED INFORMATION: Funded by Lilly Endowment, Inc., the Teacher Creativity Fellowship program enables teachers, principals, guidance counselors and school librarians from all over Indiana to take the time to pursue their personal interests, explore subjects that intrigue them, and just "get away." They will all return to school this fall full of new adventures and wisdom to impart to their students!

This year, four of our teachers joined the program's recipients of \$8,000 awards. They are:

Eugene M. Harding, an Elmhurst High School English teacher who will trace the route of King Arthur throughout the United Kingdom. His "In the Footsteps of King Arthur" project will find him traveling the length of Hadrian's Wall by foot and bicycle.

Laura Steigerwald McCoy, Fairfield Elementary School music teacher, whose project “Weaving My Life,” has supported her purchase of an eight-shaft weaving loom, weaving lessons, and will take her to the Mourne Mountains in Northern Ireland where she will attend a weaving workshop and purchase local fibers.

Brian Dunne, a Memorial Park Middle School social studies teacher will study Russia’s art, architecture, geography and orthodoxy to discover “The Beauty of Russia” first-hand this summer.

Pamela S. O’Reilly, a Snider High School publications teacher, whose project, “Stirring up Stories,” will find her writing and compiling a volume of short stories inspired by recipes and photographs found in cookbooks.

The following individuals were recognized for the Lilly Teacher Creativity Fellowships:

Eugene M. Harding, Elmhurst High School teacher
Barbara Gentry, principal

Laura Steigerwald McCoy, Fairfield Elementary School teacher
Sherry Britt, principal

Brian Dunne, Memorial Park Middle School teacher
Brian Smith, principal

Pamela S. O’Reilly, Snider High School teacher
Steve Simmons, principal

Indiana High
School
Dance Team
Finals

RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended that the Board recognize Snider High School’s Pride Dancers and Northrop High School’s Bruinettes for earning awards in the state dance team finals in Indianapolis.

RELATED INFORMATION: The Indiana High School Dance Team Association held its state competitions earlier this year with the largest competition in the group’s history! Northrop’s Bruinettes received five state awards, including 2nd place in Varsity Jazz; 3rd place in Small Ensemble; 4th place in Varsity Lyrical and 6th place in Large Ensemble competition. Senior Jada Zieg was the regional champion and took 4th place at state in the Senior Soloist category.

Snider’s team placed 5th place at state in the Large Ensemble category. Senior Samantha Berger’s solo placed her in the Top 5 at regional and qualified her for state finals – making her the first Snider student to do so in the five years they have been competing. Samantha also received a scholarship based on academic achievement, community involvement, dance experience and multiple recommendations. She participates in SAAD, National Honor Society, DECA, SWAT, Save the World Club and is a five time National Champion in dance and carries a GPA of 3.98.

The following individuals were recognized:

Snider – Pride Dancers

Samantha Berger, Senior Captain,
5th place, Large Ensemble
Elise McIntyre, Senior Captain,
5th place, Large Ensemble
Stacy Yergens, 5th place, Large Ensemble
Samantha Hudson, 5th place, Large Ensemble

Heather Closson, 5th place, Large Ensemble
Rachel Honig, 5th place, Large Ensemble
Sara Rose, 5th place, Large Ensemble
Rachel Retherford, 5th place, Large Ensemble
Missy Yeager, Coach
Tiffany Leonard, Coach
Steve Simmons, Principal

Northrop – Bruinettes

Amanda Ealing, 2nd place, Varsity Jazz;
4th place, Varsity Lyrical
Heidi Eichinger, 2nd place, Varsity Jazz;
4th place, Varsity Lyrical
Jordon Fink, 2nd place, Varsity Jazz;
4th place, Varsity Lyrical;
6th place, Large Ensemble
Ashley Frederick, 2nd place, Varsity Jazz;
4th place, Varsity Lyrical
Breaun Hook, 2nd place, Varsity Jazz;
4th place, Varsity Lyrical
Jenni Poffenberger, 2nd place, Varsity Jazz;
4th place, Varsity Lyrical
Samantha Tyner, 2nd place, Varsity Jazz;
4th place, Varsity Lyrical;
3rd place, Small Ensemble
Katie Ward, 2nd place, Varsity Jazz;
4th place, Varsity Lyrical

Emily Leslie, Assistant Coach
Lisa Helmuth, Coach
Barbara Ahlersmeyer, Principal

Monica Williams, 2nd place, Varsity Jazz;
4th place, Varsity Lyrical;
3rd place, Small Ensemble
Kaylee Predum, 2nd place, Varsity Jazz;
4th place, Varsity Lyrical;
6th place, Large Ensemble
Brittany Holocher, 2nd place, Varsity Jazz;
4th place, Varsity Lyrical;
6th place, Large Ensemble
Jada Zieg, 2nd place, Varsity Jazz;
4th place, Varsity Lyrical;
3rd place, Small Ensemble;
4th place, Senior Soloist
Rachal Spillner, 2nd place, Varsity Jazz;
4th place, Varsity Lyrical;
6th place, Large Ensemble
Alicia Gotschall, 6th place, Large Ensemble
Michelle Adams, 6th place, Large Ensemble
Megan Orendorff, 4th place, Varsity Lyrica

State Speech
Competition

RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended that the Board recognize FWCS high school students who earned top honors at the Indiana High School Forensic Association state finals and qualified for national competition.

RELATED INFORMATION: Several FWCS students earned top recognition at the speech competition. Many of the students recognized tonight have also qualified for the national competition of the National Forensic League this summer in Wichita, Kansas.

Thanks to outstanding individual performances at the state competition, Northrop's team placed fourth and Snider placed eighth in Class 3A, and South Side placed third in Class 2A. Snider's Thomas Pabst was named the National Forensic League's 2007 District Coach of the Year. And, a North Side sophomore, Michael Killen, qualified for the national tournament in Humorous Interpretation after his first year on the team. South Side's Kerri Jylland-Hade qualified for national competition for the fourth year in a row. She and several other South Side students were also named to the Indiana High School Forensic Association's First and Second Teams.

Snider senior Brittney Belcher took the state's first place honors in poetry for the third year in a row. She also received the James F. Hawker Scholarship Award, given to the top senior in the state. It is based on scholarship, attitude success in speech and community service.

The following individuals were recognized:

North Side

Michael Killen, NFL National Qualifier, Humorous Interpretation
Kirby Volz, coach
Charles DeFord, principal

Northrop – 4th place, Class 3A

Nicholas Kwolek 1st place, Impromptu; 2nd place, Foreign Extemporaneous;
NFL National Qualifier, Public Forum Team
Chelsi Ewing, 2nd place, Discussion; NFL National Qualifier, Public Forum Team

Emily Weigand, 4th place, Radio
Treaver Bingham, NFL National Qualifier, Foreign Extemporaneous
Walter Cook, coach
Mike Ford, coach
Laura Archbold, coach
Barb Ahlersmeyer, principal

Snider – 8th place, Class 3A

Brittney Belcher, 1st place, Poetry; 2nd place, Drama; James F. Hawker Scholarship Award;
NCFL National Qualifier, Prose/Poetry
Kenneth Luu, 8th place and NFL and NCFL National Qualifier, Original Oratory;
NFL National Qualifier, Congress
Laura Pittenger, NCFL National Qualifier, Prose/Poetry
Nikita Kowal, NCFL National Qualifier, Dramatic performance
Alexander Murray, NFL and NCFL National Qualifier, Congress
Amy Fox, team member
Hannelore Smith, team member
Bilal Sajid, team member
Fred Douse, assistant coach
Thom Pabst, head coach, NFL 2007 District Coach of the Year
Stephen Simmons, principal

South Side – 3rd place, Class 2A

Avery Archer, National Qualifier, Policy Debate;
State Semi-finalist, International Extemporaneous Speaking
Noe Flores, National Qualifier, Policy Debate
Christine Walker, National Qualifier, Public Forum Debate; State Champion, Discussion;
IHSFA First Team
Austin Cole Dietrich, National Qualifier, Public Forum Debate; IHSFA Second Team
Kerri Jylland-Hade, National Qualifier, Congress; IHSFA Second Team
Lucas Blauvelt, National Qualifier, Congress
Alexis Joyner, National Qualifier, Duo Interpretation; State Semi-finalist, Memorized Duo
Christina Williams, National Qualifier, Duo Interpretation;
State Semi-finalist, Memorized Duo and Poetry
Leah Heller, National Qualifier, International Extemporaneous Speaking
Katherine Walker, State Champion, Scripted Duo; Semi-finalist, Prose; IHSFA First Team
Katherine Pea, State Champion, Scripted Duo; IHSFA First Team
Dallas Wilson, State Champion, Dramatic Interpretation;
Semi-finalist, Memorized Duo; IHSFA First Team
Timothy Miller, 4th place, United States Extemporaneous Speaking; 6th place, Impromptu Speaking;
IHSFA Second Team
Gretchen Elizabeth Andriano, Semi-finalist, Impromptu Speaking
Jumar Guy, Semi-finalist, Memorized Duo
Cecily Hogan, Semi-finalist, Original Performance
Jenna Mansour, Semi-finalist, Original Performance
Rachael Dickerhoof, assistant coach
Marianne Deitche, assistant coach
Elizabeth Sanchez-Franklin, head coach
Thomas Smith, principal

Vouchers

Dr. Robinson presented the vouchers for the periods ending March 28, 2007, and April 11, 2007, with the recommendation the vouchers be approved. A motion was made by Jon J. Olinger, seconded by Carol J. Coen, that the vouchers appearing in the listing numbered 07-07 and 07-08 be approved without exception. Roll Call: Ayes, unanimous; nays, none.

Dr. Robinson presented the following recommendation concerning the Authorization to Proceed With Petition/Remonstrance Process for Building Project:

Authorization to Proceed With Petition/Remonstrance Process for Building Project

RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended that the Board authorize proceeding with the petition/remonstrance process for the 2007 Capital Improvements Program.

RELATED INFORMATION: Indiana law requires, as a condition of proceeding with the building program approved in the 1028 resolution, that following a petition for remonstrance of 100 or more property owners, the School Board must authorize giving notice in order to proceed. Fort Wayne Community Schools received certification from the Allen County Auditor that over 100 valid signatures had been received. Failure to authorize the notice would stop any building project that involves bonding for a minimum of one year.

Guest

Mr. Phil Faccenda from Barnes and Thornburg answered questions from Board members.

A motion was made by Carol J. Coen, seconded by Mark GiaQuinta, that the recommendation concerning the Authorization to Proceed With Petition/Remonstrance Process for Building Project be approved. Mark GiaQuinta asked for an individual vote. Roll Call: Ayes, Kevin Brown, Carol J. Coen, Mark GiaQuinta, Pamela Martin-Diaz, Mitch Sheppard and Stephen Corona; nays, Jon J. Olinger.

North Side New Support Building & Auxiliary Gym Floor Replacement

Dr. Robinson presented the following recommendation concerning the North Side New Support Building & Auxiliary Gym Floor Replacement:

RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended that the Board approve the following construction contracts for a new support building and replacement of the floor in the auxiliary gym at North Side High School:

Tecton Corp.

Base Bid..... \$268,800

TOTAL CONTRACT..... \$268,800

Environmental Remediation Services, Inc.

Base Bid..... \$79,400

TOTAL CONTRACT..... \$79,400

RELATED INFORMATION: During the planning of the North Side building addition and renovation several items were removed to ensure the overall project success. Among the projects delayed were the addition of an exterior storage building and replacement of the rubber auxiliary gym floor with a wood sports floor. As the project nears completion, funding remains from the bond issue to complete these items.

North Side New Support Building & Auxiliary Gym Floor Replacement						
Project Architect	MSKTD & Associates, Inc.					
Bid Date	April 11, 2007					
CONTRACTOR	W. A. Carey Construction Corp.	Robert E. Crosby, Inc.	Hamilton Hunter Builders, Inc.	Michael Kinder & Sons, Inc.	Schenkel & Sons, Inc.	Tecton Corp.
BASE BID	\$295,000	\$278,450	\$301,715	\$292,900	\$271,600	\$268,800

ALTERNATE A-1

install interior partition
wall in lieu of chain
link fence

0	1,400	530	250	1,620	3,135
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ALTERNATE A-2

provide for fluid-applied sports flooring system in lieu of wood sports-floor assemblies

(8,750) 5,000 (7,150) (7,000) (1,855) (4,350)

RECOMMENDATION	\$295,000.00	\$278,450.00	\$301,715.00	\$292,900.00	\$271,600.00	268,800.00
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Project	Removal of Mercury Containing Flooring in Auxiliary Gym
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Consultant **ACM Environmental, Inc.**

Bid Date **April 11, 2007**

CONTRACTOR

Environmental
Remediation
Services, Inc.

Taplin
Environmental
Contracting, Corp.

BASE BID

\$ 79,400.00	\$ 106,414.00
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RECOMMENDATION

\$79,400	\$106,414
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A motion was made by Jon J. Olinger, seconded by Carol J. Coen, that the recommendation concerning the North Side New Support Building & Auxiliary Gym Floor Replacement be approved. Roll Call: Ayes, unanimous; nays, none.

2007 Traffic & Safety/Site I PPI Project

Dr. Robinson presented the following recommendation concerning the 2007 Traffic & Safety/Site I PPI Project:

RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended that the Board approve the following construction contract for traffic, site, and safety projects at 10 sites:

Wayne Asphalt and Construction Co., Inc.

Base Bid.....	\$596,000
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(Blackhawk, Forest Park, Haley, Holland, Lindley, Maplewood, Northrop, Portage, Price, and St. Joseph)

Alternate 1	11,000
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TOTAL CONTRACT.....\$607,000

RELATED INFORMATION: This project consists of resurfacing playgrounds, parking lots, bus lanes, and running tracks; replacing concrete drives and walks; and modifying other sites at 10 schools. Work also includes the addition of a parent pick-up lane at Holland. The projects are part of the Capital Projects Fund plan. Project specifications require the work to be completed by September 7, 2007.

Project	2007 Traffic/& Safety/Site I Project	
Architect	SCO Engineering, LLC	
Bid Date	March 20, 2007	
CONTRACTOR	Brooks Construction Co., Inc.	Wayne Asphalt and Construction Co., Inc.
BASE BID	\$615,000	\$596,000
ALTERNATE 1		
Add ADA improvements and associated parking & pavement markings at Holland	13,500	11,000
ALTERNATE 2		
all work at Jefferson	39,500	38,000
ALTERNATE 3		
all work at Lane	20,000	18,000
ALTERNATE 4		
overlay existing parking lot and stripe the lot at Maplewood	22,500	22,000
ALTERNATE 5		
construct screening fence to the southwest at Maplewood	5,000	4,500
ALTERNATE 6		
all work at Pleasant Center	7,000	6,500
ALTERNATE 7		
all work at Washington	31,500	31,000
ALTERNATE 8		
all work at Memorial Park	200,000	203,000
RECOMMENDATION	\$628,500	\$607,000

A motion was made by Mark GiaQuinta, seconded by Jon J. Olinger, that the recommendation concerning the 2007 Traffic & Safety/Site I PPI Project be approved. Roll Call: Ayes, unanimous; nays, none.

2007
Mechanical II
Physical Plant
Improvement
Projects

Dr. Robinson presented the following recommendation concerning the 2007 Mechanical II Physical Plant Improvement Projects:

RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended that the Board approve the following construction contract for mechanical work at the South Side Natatorium:

Shambaugh & Son, L.P.

Base Bid.....	\$248,795
Alternates 1 and 3	<u>56,707</u>
TOTAL CONTRACT.....	\$305,502

RELATED INFORMATION: This project consists of the replacement of a domestic hot water heater, boiler plant, and improvements to the locker room shower facilities at the South Side Natatorium. This recommendation is within the project budget, which is funded from the Capital Projects Fund. Project specifications require the work to be completed by September 14, 2007.

Project	2007 Mechanical II Project
Architect	SCO Engineering, LLC
Bid Date	April 12, 2007

CONTRACTOR	Current Mechanical	Project Design & Piping, Inc.	Shambaugh & Son, LP
BASE BID	\$ 303,093	\$ 269,000	\$ 248,795
ALTERNATE 1			
replace shower plumbing in both locker rooms and staff shower room at South Side Natatorium	49,847	39,890	54,264
ALTERNATE 2			
provide & install new cooling/dehumidification equipment at South Side Natatorium	79,787	74,190	81,613
ALTERNATE 3			
replace existing supply diffusers in locker rooms at South Side Natatorium	2,442	2,200	2,443
RECOMMENDATION	\$ 355,382	\$ 311,090	\$ 305,502

A motion was made by Kevin Brown, seconded by Mitch Sheppard, that the recommendation concerning the 2007 Mechanical II Physical Plant Improvement Projects be approved. Roll Call: Ayes, unanimous; nays, none.

2007
General
Building
Systems II
Projects
(floor
covering)

Dr. Robinson presented the following recommendation concerning the 2007 General Building Systems II Projects (floor covering):

RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended that the Board approve the following construction contract for flooring work at 12 buildings:

Strahm, div. of SGI, Inc.

Base Bid.....\$84,900
 (Croninger, Glenwood Park, Haley, Harris, Lane, Lincoln, Lindley, Miami, Portage,
 and South Side Natatorium)
 Alternates A-1 (Jefferson), A-3 (South Side Natatorium), A-4 (South Side Natatorium),
 and A-6 (Snider) 40,200
 TOTAL CONTRACT.....\$125,100

RELATED INFORMATION: This project consists of partial replacement of carpet, tile, and base at 12 buildings. This recommendation is within the project budget, which is funded from the Capital Projects Fund. Project specifications require the work to be completed by September 14, 2007.

Project	2007 General Building Systems II Project	
Architect	MSKTD & Associates, Inc.	
Bid Date	April 10, 2007	
CONTRACTOR	Strahm, division of SGI, Inc.	Tile Interiors, Inc.
BASE BID	\$ 84,900.00	\$ 95,306.00
ALTERNATE A-1 replace flooring in faculty room and RB-1 throughout all public corridors at Jefferson	7,000	5,991
ALTERNATE A-2 replace flooring on spectator seating stair at South Side Natatorium	29,800	4,310
ALTERNATE A-3 replace wall carpet in second floor corridor at South Side Natatorium	4,700	16,655
ALTERNATE A-4 replace flooring in aquatic director area, main office, and assistant director's office on first floor at South Side Natatorium	3,000	6,708
ALTERNATE A-5 replace floor in boys' rest room at Study	5,500	5,914
ALTERNATE A-6 add new flooring in music department at Snider	25,500	35,248
RECOMMENDATION	\$ 125,100.00	\$ 159,908.00

A motion was made by Mark GiaQuinta, seconded by Carol J. Coen, that the recommendation concerning the 2007 General Building Systems II Projects (floor covering) be approved. Roll Call: Ayes, unanimous; nays, none.

Occupational
Medical,
Drug
Testing,
Physicals
and DOT
Services

Dr. Robinson presented the following recommendation concerning the Occupational Medical, Drug Testing, Physicals and DOT Services:

RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended that the Board approve Business Health Services as the occupational medical services provider for a three-year period, effective May 1, 2007 through April 30, 2009.

RELATED INFORMATION: Business Health Services (BHS) provided by RediMed, the BHS Clinic and the Lutheran Health Network has been the provider for Fort Wayne Community Schools' occupational medical services since 1997.

Quotes were solicited from three (3) vendors, Business Health Services, Parkview Occupational Health Centers, and U.S. HealthWorks. Responses were received from all three that included fees for selected high volume services.

Business Health will provide employees with the best accessibility due to the number of locations and hours of operation available throughout Fort Wayne. Based upon the 2006 utilization levels, the fees quoted by Business Health are 1.2% and 7.2% lower than those provided by Parkview and U.S. HealthWorks, respectively. The estimated annual cost for the most utilized standard and physical therapy services will be \$146,200. In addition, Business Health has maintained a consistent level of quality service during the course of our professional relationship.

This agreement may be extended annually beyond the second year subject to the agreement of the vendor, provided there are no additional price increase adjustments or changes to the terms of the contract.

A motion was made by Jon J. Olinger, seconded by Mark GiaQuinta, that the recommendation concerning the Occupational Medical, Drug Testing, Physicals and DOT Services be approved. Roll Call: Ayes, unanimous; nays, none.

Handwriting
Adoption
2007-2013
Student Fee
Justification
2007-2008

Dr. Robinson presented the following recommendation concerning the Handwriting Adoption 2007-2013 and Student Fee Justification 2007-2008:

RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended that the Board adopt Zaner-Bloser handwriting instructional materials for the school years 2007-2008 through 2012-2013 and student fees for 2007-2008.

It is also recommended that the Board approve submission of a waiver request to the Indiana Department of Education for select schools to use alternative handwriting instructional materials created by the district in the place of the Zaner-Bloser materials.

RELATED INFORMATION: The Indiana State Board of Education adopts handwriting books and related materials for use on a statewide basis according to a legally prescribed six-year cycle. This year is designated for adoption of handwriting materials.

In February 2007, a team of FWCS teachers and parents began reviewing handwriting materials. The committee selected Zaner-Bloser handwriting student books and also recommended that FWCS provide schools the option of using alternative handwriting materials in place of the Zaner-Bloser materials. The state reimburses FWCS for a portion of the textbook costs for free/reduced lunch participants. The state will also reimburse FWCS for a portion of the cost of the alternative handwriting instructional materials if a waiver is approved by the local Board.

Schools wishing to use the alternative materials at one or more grade levels include Arlington, Brentwood, Bunche, Croninger, Fairfield, Forest Park, Glenwood Park, Haley, Harrison Hill, Indian Village, Lindley, Maplewood, Price, St. Joe Central, Scott, Shambaugh, South Wayne, Washington, Washington Center, Waynedale, Weisser Park, and Young. The projected student fees are on file in the superintendent's office for review.

The Zaner-Bloser materials may be viewed at the FWCS public review site located in the FWCS Media Services at 1511 Catalpa Street

A motion was made by Mark GiaQuinta, seconded by Jon J. Olinger, that the recommendation concerning the Handwriting Adoption 2007-2013 and Student Fee Justification 2007-2008 be approved. Roll Call: Ayes, unanimous; nays, none.

Ratification
of
Appointment
to the
County Tax
Adjustment
Board

Dr. Robinson presented the following recommendation concerning the Ratification of Appointment to the County Tax Adjustment Board:

RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended that the Board ratify the appointment of Board President Steve Corona to the County Tax Adjustment Board.

RELATED INFORMATION: On February 21, 2007, the Allen County Council re-established the County Tax Adjustment Board to review budgets for county taxing units. The Tax Board has the limited power by statute, IC 6-1.1-17-6, to review budgets of county taxing units and adjust those budgets so that the tax rate does not exceed the legal maximum and the budget does not exceed available revenue.

Indiana Code 6-1.1-29 provides that Fort Wayne Community Schools may appoint one of its members to the Tax Adjustment Board

A motion was made by Mitch Sheppard, seconded by Carol J. Coen, that the recommendation concerning the Ratification of Appointment to the County Tax Adjustment Board be approved. Roll Call: Ayes, unanimous; nays, none.

Personnel
Report

Dr. Robinson presented the following recommendation concerning the personnel report:

C POSITION CHANGED	N NEW POSITION	T TEMPORARY POSITION
L LEAVE	R REPLACEMENT	

0010 GENERAL	0270 SUMMER CLUBHOUSE	0526 SPECIAL EDUCATION FUND
0015 RACIAL BALANCE	0311 DRIVER EDUCATION	0527 SILVER GRANT
0035 CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND	0320 CONTINUING EDUCATION	0543 PRESCHOOL SPECIAL ED - FEDERAL
0041 TRANSPORTATION	0321 STATE GRANTS	0555 ADULT BASIC EDUCATION
0060 PRESCHOOL SPECIAL ED	0371 NON-ENGLISH SPEAKING PROGRAM	0593 CLASS SIZE REDUCTION
0080 FOOD SERVICE	0390 WAREHOUSE	0600 VOCATIONAL EDUCATION FEDERAL
0090 TEXTBOOK RENTAL	0400 FEDERAL PROGRAMS	0626 PERKINS GRANT
0140 CAREER CENTER	0413 COMPREHENSIVE SCH REFORM	0646 MEDICAID REIMBURSEMENT
0190 ALTERNATIVE ED GRANT	0416 SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT	0662 MAGNET GRANT
0192 SAFE HAVEN	0417 TITLE I	0684 TITLE II
0210 DONATIONS FUND	0420 TITLE V	0688 TITLE III
0213 WALLACE READER'S DIGEST	0492 I READ GRANT	0694 READING FIRST
0215 EDUCATION IMPROVEMENT	0511 STEWART B. HOMELESS ASST.	0808 GIFTED & TALENTED
0219 KNIGHT FOUNDATION	0525 K-2 SPECIAL EDUCATION	0814 REFUGEE CHILDREN SCHOOL IMPACT GRANT

TEACHER(S) RECOMMENDED FOR
RETIREMENT/RESIGNATION/TERMINATION/DECEASED

NAME	ASSIGNMENT	STATUS	FUND	EFFECTIVE
Bradford, Diana K.	Teacher Permanent Sub	Resign	0010	06-06-07
Castle, Capitola A.	Young Early Childhood/Full Day Kindergarten	Retire	0015	06-06-07
Davis, Rebecca J.	Holland/Reading Recovery (0.50)	Retire	0215	06-06-07
Eldridge, Arthur C.	Miami/Grade 8 Social Studies	Retire	0010	06-06-07
Llewellyn, Shauna J.	Elmhurst/LD/MI	Resign	0526	03-26-07
Petersen, Elaine R.	Harris/Grade 3	Retire	0010	06-06-07
Platt, Amera B.	Wayne/Earth and Space Science	Retire	0010	06-06-07
Tungate, Kelley A.	Croninger/Kindergarten (1.0)	Resign	0010	06-06-07

TEACHERS(S) RECOMMENDED FOR EMPLOYMENT

Employment is contingent upon satisfactory completion of all pre-employment requirements.

NAME	COLLEGE	EXP	FROM	TO	STATUS	FUND	EFFECTIVE
Campbell, Marketa M.	Indiana University Fort Wayne BS	1.0	Indian Village/ Tutor-Temp (0.75) (0694) + Certified Sub	Indian Village/ ESL (0.50) (0010) + Tutor- Temp (0.38) (0694)	N	0010	04-16-07
Collins, Amy F.	Indiana University Fort Wayne BS	1.0	Irwin/ Grade 2, Temp Contract	Towles Montessori/ Level 6-9	R	0010	08-17-07
Fields, Jennifer K.	Purdue University West Lafayette BS	0.0	Abbett/ Tutor-Temp (0.75) (0416) + Cerified Sub	Abbett/ ESL (0.50) + Certified Sub	N	0010	04-12-07
Keim, Elizabeth L.	Indiana University Fort Wayne BS	0.0	Certified Sub	Portage/LD/MI	R	0010	03-05-07
Prindle, Cady L.	Indiana University Fort Wayne BS	0.0	Fairfield/ Grade 1, Temp Contract (0417)	Fairfield/ ESL (0010)	N	0010	04-09-07

TEACHER(S) RECOMMENDED FOR BOARD ACTION

NAME	FROM	TO	STATUS	FUND	EFFECTIVE
Anderson, Paul E.	Wayne/MOMD	Wayne/Sick Leave	L	0010	03-27-07 to 06-06-07
Bernard, Karin L.	Holland/Grade 5, Temp Contract	Certified Sub	R	0010	04-19-07
Bradford, Diana K.	L.C. Ward/LD/MI	Teacher Permanent Sub	R	0010	03-29-07
Casiano, Michelle M.	Holland/Leave of Absence	Holland/Grade 5	R	0010	04-18-07
Crisler, Diana L.	Glenwood Park/Grade 3	Towles Montessori/ Level 9-12	N	0010	08-17-07
Fields, Jennifer K.	Abbett/ESL (0.50) + Certified Sub	Abbett/ESL (0.50) + Maplewood/ESL (0.50)	N	0010	04-16-07
Oswalt, Allison E.	Study/Family Medical Leave	Study/Grade 2	R	0010	03-19-07
Pederson, Molly L.	Adams/ESL (0.50) (0320) + Title I Math Facilitator (0.50) (0417)	Adams/ESL (1.00) (0320/0010)	N	0010	04-23-07

CERTIFIED PERSONNEL RECOMMENDED FOR TEMPORARY ASSIGNMENT(S)

Bailey, Kay L.

Stark, Linda L.

SUBSTITUTE(S) RECOMMENDED FOR
RETIREMENT/RESIGNATION/TERMINATION/END OF ASSIGNMENT

Ashton, Barry A.

Colvin, Lynne C.

Hernandez, Felinsha R.

Baldwin, Billie L.

Dillon, Joan E.

Kamat, Bonnie S.

Baughman, Sarah E.

Gerber, Richard C.

Zollinger, Robert A.

Burris, Kelly C.

SUBSTITUTE(S) RECOMMENDED FOR CERTIFIED SUBSTITUTE POSITION(S)

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Belcher, Sarah N.

Johnson, Robert M.

Mosshammer, Robert E.

Bennett, Charee A.

Jones, Verleaish

Motycka, Rachel C.

Blemker, Angela

Justice, Dawn D.

Roherty, Shannon K.

Crockett, Leonard C.

Kieser, Katrina V.

Ryan, Peter M.

Epps, Genevieve L.

Lamport, Emily J.

Rynders, Tricia L.

Epps, James H.

Livensparger, Susan K.

Sanchez, Patricia A.

Fowler, Lonnie L.

Llewellyn, Shauna J.

Schafer, Stephaine M.

Gerwig-Speigner, Kathleen S.

McCalley, Marilyn S.

Stoffel, Rachel L.

Grant, Lucille B.

Miller, Audra L.

Van Gelder, Morgan M.

Hatcher, Kameshia K.

Miner, Jessica N.

Woods, Lakisha S.

Houston, Jamie N.

Morgan, Ben C.

Howe, Lacey J.

CERTIFIED PERSONNEL RECOMMENDED FOR HOMEBOUND ASSIGNMENT (S)

Anderson, Jennifer M.	Croft, Tod M.	Meyers, Julie A.
Bailey, Richard E.	Dickerhoof, Rachael C.	Norwalk, Jean A.
Booker, Patricia A.	Edwards, Julia J.	Polly, Susan L.
Brace, Susan E.	Lomont, Victoria A.	Royal, Nakia T.
Buskirk, Jill E.	Madden, Sarah J.	Wheeler, Rachel L.
Clendenning, Karen L.	Meinika, Michelle L.	

CLASSIFIED PERSONNEL RECOMMENDED FOR
RETIREMENT/RESIGNATION/TERMINATION/END OF ASSIGNMENT

NAME	ASSIGNMENT	STATUS	FUND	EFFECTIVE
Apollo, Aimee F.	Lindley/School Asst Special Ed (0010) + School Asst Special Ed (0526)	Resign	0010/ 0526	03-30-07
Armstrong, David A.	Custodian Sub	Terminate	0010	04-09-07
Beasley, Tehesah	Franke Park/Primetime Asst	Resign	0010	03-21-07
Blauvelt, Paula M.	Miami/School Asst	Resign	0010	03-30-07
Boese, Brenda K.	South Side/Baker	Resign	0080	03-30-07
Dustman, Nancy L.	Blackhawk/Cafeteria Asst	Resign	0080	03-30-07
Hollis, Julia A.	Purchasing/Special Assignment Secretary	Retire	0010	06-29-07
Khan, Angel A.	Northrop/Cafeteria Asst	Resign	0080	04-13-07
Lenington, Stacie L.	Career Education/School Asst Special Ed	Resign	0010	03-22-07
Lock, David O.	St. Joseph Central/Sick Leave	Retire	0010	04-16-07
McCalley, Marilyn S.	Arlington/Tutor-Temp (0193)	End of Assignment	0193	03-30-07
McDonald, Sharon R.	Franke Park/Primetime Asst	Resign	0010	03-30-07
McDonald- Harber, Angela L.	Croninger/Primetime Asst	Resign	0010	03-23-07
Miller, Susan J.	Price/School Asst Special Ed	Resign	0010	03-30-07

Nevels, Virginia E.	Weisser Park/School Asst	Resign	0010	05-04-07
Powell, Monique Z.	Transportation/Bus Driver-Sub + Bus Driver Special Ed-Sub	Resign	0041	03-28-07
Ruppel, Joyce M.	Transportation/Bus Driver + Bus Driver, Supplemental + Bus Driver, Extracurricular	Resign	0041	04-11-07
Sanders, Jessica E.	L.C. Ward/School Asst	Resign	0010	03-30-07
Saunders, Shalonda R.	Abbett/ESL Asst + School Asst	Resign	0010	03-27-07
Studebaker, Melissa A.	Franke Park/Primetime Asst	Resign	0010	04-13-07
Taylor, Matthew W.	Custodian Sub	Terminate	0010	04-09-07
White, James E.	Harrison Hill/Liaison Asst	Resign	0010	04-13-07
Wyatt, Johnnie M.	Northrop/School Asst Special Ed	Resign	0010	03-23-07
Yoder, Tamra L.	Special Education Dept./ Occupational/Physical Therapist Asst	Resign	0010	03-21-07

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NAME	FROM	TO	STATUS	FUND	EFFECTIVE
Alberty, Erica D.	New	School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	R	0010/ 0080	04-04-07
Barton, Debra J.	New	Transportation/Bus Driver- Sub + Bus Driver-Special Ed Sub	R	0041	04-09-07
Beasley, Tehesha	New	School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	R	0010/ 0080	04-09-07
Charlton, Bryson C.	New	Custodian Sub	R	0010	03-30-07
Dustman, Nancy L.	New	School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	R	0010/ 0080	04-04-07
Ferguson, Scott E.	New	Maintenance & Operations/ Plumber	R	0035	04-30-07

Green, Lakesha S.	School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	Lane/Cafeteria Asst	R	0080	04-16-07
Grube, Paul G.	New	Custodian Sub	R	0010	03-20-07
Guerra, Esmeralda	New	Transportation/Bus Driver- Sub + Bus Driver Special Ed-Sub	R	0041	03-22-07
Haag, Charles W.	New	Custodian Sub	R	0010	03-16-07
Hazovry, Lisette	New	Indian Village/ESL Asst (0010) + Support Services/ESL Evaluator/ Interpreter (0688)	R/T	0010/ 0688	04-09-07
Kelly, Gene E.	New	Custodian Sub	R	0010	04-09-07
Kemp, Jeffrey W.	New	Custodian Sub	R	0010	03-20-07
Kneller, Beverly J.	New	Indian Village/School Asst Special Ed, Temp + School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	T/R	0010/ 0010/ 0080	04-09-07
Kumfer, Nancy J.	New	School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	R	0010/ 0080	03-19-07
Lucas, Jamie C.	New	Custodian Sub	R	0010	03-27-07
Lyles, Ashley C.	New	School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	R	0010/ 0080	03-26-07
McCann, Dennis W.	New	Security Guard Sub	R	0010	04-10-07
Mettler, Michael C.	New	Transportation/Bus Driver- Sub + Bus Driver Special Ed-Sub	R	0041	03-28-07
Morgan, Shantelle D.	New	Snider/Cafeteria Asst	R	0080	03-26-07
Owens, Carolyn J.	New	Transportation/Bus Driver- Sub + Bus Driver-Special Ed-Sub	R	0041	04-13-07

Putt, Barbara	New	School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	R	0010/ 0080	04-09-07
Razi, Razi S.	Transportation/Bus Driver- Sub + Bus Driver Special Ed-Sub	Transportation/Bus Driver + Bus Driver, Supplemental + Bus Driver, Extracurricular	R	0041	03-22-07
Sanders, Jessica E.	New	School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	R	0010/ 0080	04-04-07
Saunders, Shalonda R.	New	School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	R	0010/ 0080	04-09-07
Stephens, Patrica M.	School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	Kekionga/Cafeteria Asst	R	0080	03-21-07
Wagoner, Matthew J.	New	Custodian Sub	R	0010	03-20-07
Watts, Amanda R.	School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	Wayne/School Asst Special Ed + School Asst	R	0010	03-26-07
Webb, Sandra J.	New	Transportation/Bus Driver- Sub + Bus Driver-Special Ed Sub	R	0041	04-12-07
Welborn, Sandra M.	New	Fiscal Affairs/Asst Accounting Supervisor, Temp	T	0010	03-28-07 to 06-29-07
Wilson, Alice H.	New	School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	R	0010/ 0080	03-26-07
Wyatt, Johnnie M.	New	School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	R	0010/ 0080	04-09-07

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Atchison, Jill S.	Croninger/Sick Leave	Croninger/Primetime	R	0010	03-26-07
Barker, Rebecca A.	Indian Village/School Asst Special Ed, Temp (0010) + School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	R	0010/ 0080	03-26-07

Barksdale, Lisa A.	School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	Northcrest/ESL Asst, Temp (0010) + School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service- Sub (0080)	T	0010	01-29-07 to 06-06-07
Bestard, Marcy E.	Shambaugh/Sick Leave (0015)	Shambaugh/Case Manager (0015)	R	0015	04-09-07
Bulmahn, Sue E.	Haley/Leave of Absence	Haley/Primetime Asst	R	0010	04-09-07
Campbell, Penny F.	Lindley/School Asst (0010/0080) + Breakfast Program Asst (0080)	Lindley/Sick Leave	L	0010/ 0080/ 0080	04-24-07 to 08-17-07
Chapman, John H.	Shawnee/Part-time Custodian	Custodian Sub	R	0010	04-10-07
Cook, Nicole E.	Towles Montessori/Leave Of Absence	Towles Montessori/ Montessori Asst	R	0010	04-09-07
Cooper, Teresa L.	North Side/Cafeteria Asst	Lane/Cafeteria Asst	R	0080	04-09-07
Culbertson, Karen J.	Shawnee/School Asst	Kekionga/School Asst	R	0010	03-26-07
Fell, Nancy R.	South Wayne/School Asst, Temp (0010) + School Asst- Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service- Sub (0080)	School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	R	0010/ 0080	03-26-07
Fluke, Brooke S.	Transportation/Bus Driver + Bus Driver, Supplemental + Bus Driver, Extracurricular	Transportation/Sick Leave	L	0041	03-26-07 to 06-06-07
Goodrich, Vicki S.	Northrop/Cafeteria Asst (0080)	Lincoln/Elementary Night Custodian (1.0) (0010)	R	0010	04-24-07
Green, Patricia I.	Haley/Sick Leave	Haley/Elementary Night Custodian	R	0010	03-19-07
Guy, Betty J.	Wayne/Sick Leave	Wayne/School Asst Special Ed	R	0010	04-16-07
Hanford, Susan T.	North Side/Baker	North Side/Asst Cafeteria Manager, Temp	T	0080	03-30-07 to 05-21-07
Hasch, Julie A.	Northcrest/School Asst + Breakfast Program Asst (0080)	Northcrest/ESL Asst + Breakfast Program Asst (0080)	R	0010	04-09-07

Heaton, Jeffrey L.	Transportation/Bus Driver + Bus Driver, Supplemental + Bus Driver, Extracurricular	Transportation/Sick Leave	L	0041	02-28-07 to 03-01-07
Henderson, James A.	School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	Bloomington/Primetime Asst, Temp (0010) + School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	T	0010	08-21-06 to 04-17-07
Herbst, Cheryl A.	School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	Memorial Park/Cafeteria Asst, Temp (0080) + School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	T	0080	03-26-07 to 04-27-07
Hicks, Pamela R.	School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	Lane/Cafeteria Asst, Temp (0080) + School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service- Sub (0080)	T	0080	03-14-07 to 03-30-07
Hine, Jill E.	School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	Bloomington/Primetime Asst, Temp (0010) + School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	T	0010	01-09-07 to 06-06-07
Hla, U Mya	Maplewood/ESL Asst, Temp (0010) + School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service- Sub (0080)	Maplewood/ESL Asst, Temp (0010) + Support Services/ ESL Evaluator/Interpreter (0688) + School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service- Sub (0080)	T	0688	04-09-07
Horner, Beth A.	South Wayne/Family Medical Leave	South Wayne/Sick Leave	L	0010	04-06-07 to 06-08-07
Jackson, Rosemary	School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	Bloomington/School Asst Special Ed, Temp (0010) + School Asst, Temp (0010/0080) + School Asst- Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service- Sub (0080)	T	0010/ 0010/ 0080	12-14-06 to 03-02-07
Jackson, Rosemary	Bloomington/School Asst Special Ed, Temp (0010) + School Asst, Temp (0010/0080) + School Asst- Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service- Sub (0080)	Bloomington/School Asst Special Ed, Temp (0010) + School Asst Special Ed, Temp (0010) + School Asst- Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service- Sub (0080)	T	0010	03-05-07 to 04-17-07

Jones, Annette E.	Brentwood/School Asst Special Ed, Temp (0010) + School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	R	0010/ 0080	03-19-07
Kline, Linda F.	School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	Portage/Cafeteria Asst, Temp (0080) + School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service- Sub (0080)	T	0080	03-16-07 to 03-27-07
Koneval, Melissa S.	School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	Jefferson/School Asst, Temp (0010) + School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service- Sub (0080)	T	0010	02-09-07 to 03-23-07
Lock, David O.	St. Joseph Central/ Family Medical Leave	St. Joseph Central/Sick Leave	L	0010	03-31-07 to 04-16-07
Mable, Eugene F.	South Side Natatorium/ Family Medical Leave	South Side Natatorium/ Sick Leave	L	0010	03-07-07 to 12-04-07
McNeal, Laura L.	Northcrest/School Asst (0010/0080) + School Asst Special Ed (0010) + Breakfast Program Asst (0080)	Northcrest/School Asst Special Ed (0010) + Breakfast Program Asst (0080)	R	0010	04-09-07
Miller, Sharon M.	Lane/Cafeteria Asst, Temp (0080) + School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service- Sub (0080)	School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	R	0010/ 0080	04-12-07
Minton, Kathleen E.	Transportation/Sick Leave	Special Ed Transportation/ Bus Driver + Bus Driver, Supplemental + Bus Driver, Extracurricular	R	0041	03-21-07
Mitchell, Delois	School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	Lindley/School Asst, Temp (0010) + School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service- Sub (0080)	T	0010	02-15-07 to 03-30-07
Moran, Lynette S.	Special Ed Transportation/ School Asst Special Ed (0041)	Special Ed Transportation/ Sick Leave (0041)	L	0041	04-09-07 to 10-04-07

Murdock, Chad M.	Custodian Sub	Custodian Sub + School Asst- Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service- Sub (0080)	R	0010/ 0080	04-09-07
O'Herron, Cheryl L.	Transportation/Sick Leave	Transportation/Bus Driver + Bus Driver, Supplemental + Bus Driver, Extracurricular	R	0041	04-09-07
Patterson, Karen S.	South Side/Sick Leave	South Side/Cafeteria Asst (0080)	R	0080	04-09-07
Schroeder, Barbara R.	Northrop/Leave of Absence	Northrop/School Asst Special Ed (0526) + School Asst Special Ed (0041)	R	0526/ 0041	03-29-07
Shroyer, Renee M.	Transportation/Sick Leave	Transportation/Bus Driver + Bus Driver, Supplemental + Bus Driver, Extracurricular	R	0041	03-21-07
Smith, Julie Y.	Nutrition Services Center/Cafeteria Asst (0080)	Nutrition Services Center/ Cafeteria Asst, Temp + Cafeteria Asst Wrapper, Temp (0080)	T	0080	03-19-07 to 06-06-07
Smith-Causey, Jodi L.	St. Joseph Central/ Case Manager (0010)	St. Joseph Central/ Case Manager (0010) + Clerical Sub	R	0010	04-02-07
Springer, Gayle L.	School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	Haley/Primetime Asst, Temp (0010) + School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service- Sub (0080)	T	0010	01-08-07 to 03-30-07
Steinke, Leigh A.	North Side/Asst Cafeteria Manager (0080)	North Side/Cafeteria Manager, Temp (0080)	T	0080	03-23-07 to 05-21-07
Stetler, Alaine E.	Nutrition Services Center/ Cafeteria Asst + Cafeteria Asst-Wrapper	Nutrition Services Center/ Family Medical Leave	L	0080	03-16-07 to 06-01-07
Stutzman, Benjamin D.	Maplewood/ESL Asst (0417) + Support Services/ESL Evaluator/Interpreter (0688)	Maplewood/Tutor-Temp (0417) + Support Services/ ESL Evaluator/Interpreter (0688)	T	0417	04-11-07 to 06-06-07
Tatum, Shantaye M.	School Asst-Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service-Sub (0080)	North Side/Cafeteria Asst, Temp (0080) + School Asst- Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service- Sub (0080)	T	0080	03-22-07 to 04-13-07

Tracy, Susan B.	Towles/Montessori Asst	Towles/Sick Leave	L	0010	03-07-07 to 03-16-07
Weidner, Jaime L.	Portage/Cook, Temp (0080)	Portage/Cafeteria Asst (0080) + School Asst (0010)	R	0080/ 0010	04-02-07
Wilkins, Sharron L.	Bloomington/52 Week Secretary	Jefferson/52 Week Secretary	R	0010	04-02-07
Wilkinson, Edward C.	Arlington/School Asst Special Ed (0526) + School Asst Special Ed (0010) + School Asst Special Ed (0041) + Custodian Sub (0010)	Custodian Sub + School Asst- Sub + Special Ed Asst- Sub + Clerical-Sub + Food Service- Sub (0080)	R	0010/ 0010/ 0080	04-02-07

CLASSIFIED PERSONNEL RECOMMENDED FOR TEMPORARY ASSIGNMENT(S)

Whitfield, Charles D.

A motion was made by Mark GiaQuinta, seconded by Jon J. Olinger, that the personnel report be approved. Roll Call: Ayes, unanimous; nays, none.

Instruction:
The #1 Factor
in
Achievement

Chief Academic Officer Dr. Carol Lindquist provided the second in a series of reports on the FWCS Educational Services System. "Instruction: The #1 Factor in Achievement." The report focused on the district's instructional practices.

Comments

Mark GiaQuinta would like the Board to draft a resolution regarding the No Child Left Behind legislation.

Pamela Martin-Diaz would like the Board to look into the IUSA document on a "Pledge to America's School Children."

Board members appreciated the commitment of time that Steve Corona is making to be on the Allen County Tax Adjustment Board. Mark GiaQuinta suggested, and the Board will consider having the Board president assigned as the FWCS appointee to the county tax board in the future.

Board members Pamela Martin-Diaz, Kevin Brown, Carol Coen and Steve Corona were thankful for the opportunity to attend and shared some experiences and observations from their trip to the National School Boards Association (NSBA) annual conference in San Francisco, CA.

Carol J. Coen announced that Steve Corona had been elected President of CUBE (Council of Urban Boards of Education) the urban component of NSBA's National Affiliate Program.

Jon J. Olinger would like the opportunity, and other Board members agreed to allow him, to sign his daughter's diploma for graduation.

Jon J. Olinger would like people to remember that, concerning the remonstrance process, when the fighting is over – stop fighting.

Dr. Robinson thanked teachers and staff for working to keep students safe and she commented that parents need to help schools teach students safe behavior.

Next Meeting The next regular meeting of the Board is scheduled for Monday, May 14, 2007, at 6:00 p.m. in the Lester L. Grile Administrative Center.

Signatures Documents to be signed by members of the Board were the Regular Board Meeting Minutes from March 26, 2007, Payroll Certification, Voucher Lists, and Alternative Placement for Anthony Presti.

Adjournment There being no further business, upon a motion by Jon J. Olinger, seconded by Carol J. Coen, the meeting was adjourned at 8:35 p.m.

President
Steve Corona

Vice President
Mark GiaQuinta

Secretary
Mitch Sheppard

Member
Kevin Brown

Member
Carol J. Coen

Member
Pamela Martin-Diaz

Member
Jon J. Olinger